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SCOPOLAMINE AND METHOD OF TREATING

MOTION SICKNESS

Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: Shaojia A. Jiang, Ph.D.

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AMENDMENT

Dear Dr. Jiang:

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2004, for the above-referenced application. Also enclosed is a request for a three-month extension of time extending the period for response to September 16, 2004, and a payment of \$475.00 to be withdrawn from deposit account no. 502769.

Claims 23- 26 are being prosecuted, and new claims 27 and 28 have been added.

Applicants respectfully traverse the rejection. Please amend the claims of the application as follows:

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